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	Group Art Unit Number	3624	
	Examiner Name	Daniel S. Felten	
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2006, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R.

§1.116, applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

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